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1. COMATT WROTE FAIRBANKS MORSE JAN 13, EXPLAINING THAT IT HAS NOT YET BEEN POSSIBLE TO OBTAIN FROM ENDE AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT IDENTIFYING THE FIRMS WHICH PRESENTED BIDS IN THIS TNER AND THE EQUIPMENT THEY OFFERED. AFTER FAILING TO OBTAIN THE INFORMATION FROM ENDE'S LA PAZ OFFICE, COMATT WROTE ENDE GENERAL MANAGER O'CONNER IN COCHABAMBA, AND EXPECTS TO MEET WITH O'CONNER TO DISCUSS THE BIDS DURING VISIT TO COCHABAMBA IN EARLY FEBRUARY.

2. FYI. THERE IS LITTLE POSSIBILITY OF HELPING FAIRBANKS MORSE IN THIS CASE BECAUSE WE WERE ADVISED OF THE PROBLEM AT SUCH A LATE DATE. THE BIDS WERE OPENED IN APRIL 1977, A SUPPLIER WAS CHOSEN SOME MONTHS LATER (ENDE HAS NOT GIVEN US THE EXACT DATE), AND PRODUCTION OF THE EQUIPMENT BEGAN IN MITSUBISHI PLANTS DURING OCTOBER. HAD WE LEARNED OF THE COMPANY'S DOUBTS ABOUT THE PROCEEDINGS AT THE TIME OF THE BID OPENING, OUR REPRESENTATIONS MIGHT HAVE BEEN MORE EFFECTIVE.
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